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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Dear Mr. Layno;

The applicant sincerely thanks the Examiner for his efforts in this matter, and especially thanks the Examiner for the Examiner's consideration of the arguments earlier provided.

Please amend the above referenced patent application as follows.

AMENDMENTS IN THE CLAIMS

Amendments to the claims are included in a separate paper.